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DETERMINING THE BUYING POWER OF AN INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Applicant submits this document in response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2009.

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